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## DONATIONS TO MUSEUM

IN JANUARY AND FEBRUARY.

*January 9th.*

A mounted and very beautiful specimen of an albino *Cervus Virginianus*. From Wayne county, Pennsylvania. Presented by Dr. T. B. Wilson.

Three *Motacilla*, 2 species; one *Budytes*; three *Phasianus*; one *Rhanphocoles*. Nine specimens, 8 species, of birds eggs, S. Africa; one do, S. America; one do. India; 8 species of bird's nests, England. Deposited by Dr. T. B. Wilson.

Carpal bones of *Apteryx Oweni*. Presented by Dr. Wilson.

Three casts of crania of a large species of *Ourang* from Gaboon, W. Africa. Presented by the Bristol Institution, through Dr. T. B. Wilson.

Twenty-two shells from Australia, of the genera *Chiton*, *Struthiolaria*, *Tellina*, *Bulimus*, *Cardium*, *Trigonia*, *Myochama*, and *Clavagella*. Eighty-seven shells from California and Peru, of the genera *Venus*, *Cytherea*, *Chama*, *Cardium*, *Spondylus*, *Amphidesma*, *Arca*, *Donax*, *Nytilus*, *Anomia*, *Mytilicardia*, *Mactra*, *Pholas*, *Parapholas*, *Petricola*, *Anatina*, *Sanguinolaria*, *Mysia*, *Pectunculus*, *Ranella*, *Murex*, *Purpura*, *Oliva*, *Cassis*, *Cancellaria*, *Conus*, *Pyrena*, *Ovula*, *Triton*, and *Coronula*. Presented by Dr. Wilson.

Numerous small and rare British shells, and a stone with *Orbicula* adhering, comprising 18 species dredged up on the English coast, and 3 species *Helix*. Presented by Mr. McAndrew, of England, through Dr. Wilson.

Fifteen fossil shells from the Miocene of France, and a group of fossil fish from the tertiary of France. Presented by M. Ed. Verreaux, of Paris, through Dr. Wilson.

A fossil fish from Oberstein. Presented by Mr. Weissmuller, of Paris, through Dr. Wilson.

Specimen of labarynthine Coal, from England. Presented by the Bristol Institution, through Dr. T. B. Wilson.

Fine specimen *Solaster papposa*, Pembrokeshire; and two specimens *Sphinx*, one species; *Metopsilis*, one species; *Smerinthus*, one. From Pembrokeshire, S. Wales. Presented by Mr. Edward Wilson.

*January 16th.*

Two specimens of *Blennius punctatus*, from Cape May, New Jersey. From Mr. Theoph. Beesley.

*February 6th.*

Nine species *Helix*, one *Helicina*, one *Physa*, three Pupa, five *Cylindrella*, one *Succinea*; from Florida and Cuba. Presented by Dr. A. A. Gould.

Fifty specimens, twenty-two species of Shells from Scotland, of the following genera: *Pecten*, *Mactra*, *Venerupis*, *Modiola*, *Alasmodonta*, *Nassa*, *Cardium*, *Venus*, *Trochus*, *Cytherea*, *Natica*, *Bulla*, *Psammobia*, *Lima*, *Nerita*, *Lottia*. Received from Wm. Gourlie, Jr., of Glasgow, through Dr. Watson, in exchange.

Ten species of Shells, from Cape May. Seventy-three specimens, twelve species, Crustacea, from Cape May, of the following genera: *Platyonichus*, *Lupa*, *Ocypode*, *Gelasimus*, *Hippa*, *Pagurus*, *Palæmon*, *Caprella*, *Amphithoe*, *Stenosoma*, *Sphæroma*. Presented by M. E. Griffith.

Four specimens *Libinia dubia*, and one of *Platyonichus*, from Beesley's Point N. J. Eight specimens, six species of Birds, from Great Egg Harbor, as follows: *Turdus*, *Calidris*, *Fringilla*, *Charadrius*, *Tringa*. Presented by Mr. Samuel Ashmead.

Five specimens, two species, of *Ammodytes* and *Lebias*,—and the head of *Carcharias*, Cape May; three *Sertularia*, three *Cirrhipeda*, and three *Annelida*, from Cape May. From M. E. Griffith.

Fourteen well conditioned skins of Mammalia, as follows : *Cavia aguta*,—var. *Stentor rufus*, *Cebus monachus*, *Eriodon hypoxanthus*, *Kerodon moco*, *Didelphis Azaræ*, *Didelphis cancrivora*, *Gulo barbara*, do., var., *Felis mitis*, *Canis Azaræ*, *Felis jaguarondi*, var. *rufus*, *Procyon cancrivora*, *Simia* —? Received in exchange from M. Moricand, Geneva, Switzerland.

Fine specimen, in spirits, of *Lachesis mutus*, Demarara. Presented by Mr. Wm. Hembel.

*February 13th.*

Two fine specimens of Columbite, Haddam, Connecticut. Presented by Prof. Johnston, of Middletown, Conn.

Right half of inferior maxilla of *Castor fibre*, from marl of New Jersey. Presented by Mr. Charles T. Budd.

*February 20th.*

*Caprimulgus Nuttallii*, Aud., and *Colaptes Ayresii*, Aud., fine specimens ; from the Upper Missouri. Presented by Mr. J. J. Audubon.

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IN JANUARY AND FEBRUARY, 1849.

*January 2d.*

*Indicis generum Malacozoorum primordia* : conscripsit A. N. Heermanssen. fascic. 1—9. 8vo. From Mrs. Lucy W. Say.

*Verzeichniss der Conchylien welche sich in der Sammlung von H. E. Anton.* 4to. The same.

*Enumeratio Molluscorum Siciliæ.* Auctore R. A. Philippi. 4to. Vol 1. The same.

*Historia Molluscorum Sueciæ* ; a Sv. Nilsson. 8vo. The same.

*Beskrivelse af nogle nye Slangearter*, ved J. Th. Reinhardt. 4to. From Dr. S. G. Morton.

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*On the structure of the maxillary and dental organs of the Iguanodon.* By G. A. Mantell. 4to. From the author.

*January 9th.*

*American Journal of Science and Arts.* 2d series. No. 19. From the Editors.

A statigraphical account of the section from Atherfield to Rocken-end on the S. W. coast of the Isle of Wight. By Wm. Henry Fitton, M. D. 8vo. and Chart. From the author.

Dr. Wilson deposited the following :

*Isis von Oken.* Heft v. 1848.

*Phycologia Britannica.* By Wm. Henry Harvey, M. D. Part 35. 8vo.

*Illustrations of British Mycology.* By Mrs. T. J. Hussey. Part 20. 4to.

*Genera of Diurnal Lepidoptera.* By Edward Doubleday. Part 22. 4to.

*Zoology of the voyage of the Samarang.* No. 3. 4to.

*History of British Mollusca.* By Prof. Forbes and S. Hanley. Part. 11. 8vo.

*Catalogue of the organic remains of the Permian rocks of Northumberland and Durham.* By Wm. King.